By the Senate, January 5th, 1872.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message informing us of the appointment of a Joint Committee, three on the part of the House and two on the part of the Senate, to wait on his Excellency, the Governor elect, and request his attendance on Wednesday the 10th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M., in the Senate Chamber, to qualify according to the Constitution and form of Government of this State and respectfully non-concur therein. We would suggest a committee of five to inform the Governor elect officially by written communication of his election, and on his arrival at Annapolis, to wait upon him in conjunction with the Committee of Arrangements of the Senate, already appointed, and escort him to the Senate Chamber.

We have appointed on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Earle,

and Compton.

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary.

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the House of Delegates.

On motion by Mr. Blake,

The Senate took up for consideration the order submitted by him in relation to the adjournment of the Senate.

Mr. Earle moved to reconsider the vote by which the words "Tuesday, the 9th inst." were stricken out, and the words "Monday, the 8th inst." were inserted.

On the question being put,

It was determined in the affirmative.

The question then recurred upon the adoption of the order, and

It was determined in the affimative.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following message:

By the House of Delegates, January 5th, 1872.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We have received your message, proposing the appointment of a committee to communicate with his Excellency, the Governor elect, &c., and respectfully concur therein.